



Tuesday Evening, Feb. 22, 1867.

Boru Houses of Congress on Saturday passed the bill to redeem and recon the trade dollar, and the President's signature is only wanted to make the bill a law, and that it will doubtless get.

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SENATOR QUAY, says Harrisburg dispatch, sustains the President's veto of the dependent pension bill, except that he did not vote to sustain it.

"The men who did the actual killing have some relatives in their pocket, so that they are being荫ored. There isn't a man in my Grand Army post in favor of it. I do not think any considerable number of Grand Army posts can be got up to support this vote. That vote message is the best thing that President Cleveland has set his hand to, and if I were in the Senate now I would vote to sustain it."

Several of the Philadelphia Grand Army Posts applied the veto also.

Sturz has been brought against Messrs. Geddy & Hance, the owners of the steam thresher that set fire to the barn of Mrs. Price, near Stoystown, a few months ago. The insurance company are the prosecutors.

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## SPRING ELECTIONS.

Philadelphia elects the regular Republican ticket—Fisher for Mayor by a plurality of 28,000; Clay, Recycler of Taxes, 7,821; Warwick, City Collector, 38,347. In Harrisburg the Democrats win a handsome victory. Dr. John A. Frith, the Democratic nominee, is elected Mayor by 473, a Republican, loss of over 700; and Controller Verbeke, Democrat, is continued in office by 925 majority. The labor element supported both. Black, Republican, is re-elected City Treasurer by 1,005. In the fourth ward, which is nearly 200 Republican, Dr. C. B. Fager, Democrat, present President of the Board of School Controllers, was re-elected by a handsome majority. In the fifth ward, also Republican, Wm. H. Smith, Republican, Secretary of the Board for fifteen years, was beaten by his Democratic opponent. Mr. Smith was one of the three who, in a full board of 25, voted two years ago against Prof. J. Howard Wert. In the seventh ward, Wm. G. Hoke, a former Adams county man, the Democratic candidate for School Director, had no opposition for re-election, and received 636 votes.

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## LITTLESTOWN ITEMS.

Littlestown Items.—Prof. J. B. Footh elected S. Paul's pupil yesterday. There will be services at Grace church, Two Taverns, next Sunday evening, by Rev. E. J. Matzler. The lecture by Rev. W. B. Baugh was fair attended.

The stable of John H. Wahrer, residing on Hanover street, was discovered to be on fire last Thursday night, at 11 o'clock. The fire company hustled out with the engine, but the structure being frame, was almost consumed, by the time the engine reached there. Mr. Wahrer had but little loss outside of the stable, he having an insurance of \$75, but Thomas P. Buckingham,损失, lost a bldg. stell, a set of double harness, 3 jacks, saddle and bridle, besides boxes, barrels, cooper, etc., which he had stored in the stable. The fire is supposed to have been the work of some "fire bug." Several things have been acquired to every citizen of town, the alms of whom clicked him on the head, producing very serious injury. He was also hurt in the arm and leg. It was at first thought it would prove fatal, but last accounts he was getting better.

Part of the barn roof belonging to Thomas Wenz was blown off by the high wind on last Friday week.

Mr. Samuel Rexroth, who drives for Mr. Stover, living on Penn. Wm. Wm. Martin's place, was watered outside of the arm and leg. It was at first thought it would prove fatal, but last accounts he was getting better.

Arrangements are being made to have a steamer call at Wadsworth on Saturday evening to have the mail sent to the post office.

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